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## BASEBALL

### And Football Schedules are Completed --- Football's Exceptionally Good.

The football schedule for the season of 1911 has been completed by Dr. L. B. Walton, and meets with the general approval of students and alumni. The opening game is with Mt. Vernon High school here, and is followed by the Ohio Wesleyan game, also on Benson field. Case and Reserve will be attempted at Cleveland as usual.

The Ohio State game will be played on Nov. 11, instead of Thanksgiving as heretofore. However, Kenyon will play Carnegie Tech at Columbus on Turkey day.

Denison, Wooster and Mt. Union are on the schedule as usual. Allegheny and Kenyon will match for the first time, the contest to be at Meadville, Pa.

The Thanksgiving game will be the first between Carnegie Tech and Kenyon, and will be played on the Ohio State field. The State eleven will be in Cincinnati on that day, hence there will be no conflict. Kenyon and Carnegie have arranged for an equal division of net gate receipts, and it is planned that the return game in 1912 is to be played at Pittsburg.

This game, and in fact the entire schedule, has evoked expressions of satisfaction from a number of the alumni, some declaring that they will come from New York to witness the final contest.

The following is the schedule:

- Sept. 23.—Mt. Vernon H. S.—Gambier.
- Sept. 30.—Ohio Wesleyan—Gambier.
- Oct. 7.—Western Reserve—Cleveland.
- Oct. 14.—Allegheny—Meadville, Pa.
- Oct. 21.—Case—Cleveland.
- Oct. 28.—Mt. Union—Alliance.
- Nov. 7.—Ohio—Athens.
- Nov. 11.—Ohio State—Columbus.
- Nov. 18.—Denison—Granville.
- Nov. 25.—Carnegie Tech—Columbus.

#### Baseball Schedule

The baseball schedule, as com-

pleted, has been announced and is as follows:

- May 5.—Wooster—Wooster.
- May 6.—Western Reserve—Cleveland.
- May 12.—Denison—Gambier.
- May 20.—Wooster—Gambier.
- May 27.—Ohio Wesleyan—Delaware.
- June 2.—Buchtel—Akron.
- June 3.—Oberlin—Oberlin.
- June 8.—Muskingum—New Concord.
- June 9.—Ohio—Athens.
- June 10.—Ohio—Athens.
- June 24.—Alumni—Gambier.

Counting the Reserve and Oberlin games already played, it will be noticed that there are four colleges with which Kenyon will play return games. They are Reserve, Oberlin, Wooster, and Ohio. Both of the Ohio games, however, are to be played at Athens. There will be five home games and eight elsewhere.

The schedule includes several strong teams, yet is confined in general to opponents as nearly as possible Kenyon's equals, hence there is no cause for pessimism regarding the outlook.

## THIS YEAR'S

### Hop to be the Best Function Ever Given by a Sophomore Class.

The rehearsals for the comic opera "Iolanthe" to be given by the Sophomore Class at Hop time are progressing rapidly and Director McCowatt is teaching the fairies all sorts of skips, flips and dances. The music of "Iolanthe" is superior to "The Mikado" in its catchy songs and marches and there is no doubt that "We Are the Peers, etc." will be heard on the Path long after the Hop is a thing of the past.

The opera is to be given on Saturday evening May 20th, at eight o'clock in Rosse Hall. Originally it was to be presented on Thursday evening but the day was changed in order to give plenty of time for decorating the gym for the Hop on Friday evening.

Johnston's orchestra of Cleveland will furnish the music for the Hop and there is no need of mentioning the quality of music that

## VICTORIOUS

### Kenyon Wins Track Meet With Ohio University--Result, 98 to 34.

The Kenyon College Track Team won the first meet of its season with the Ohio University at Athens, Saturday April 22, by the score of 97 to 34.

The baseball game with Western Reserve at Gambier on the previous day was ended with the seventh inning, in order that the track men, some of whom were also on the baseball team, could catch the late afternoon train to Columbus, so that the men could reach Athens by morning. Coming immediately after the Easter vacation, as it did, the meet was a surprise to many of the men on the team, and it found a good many of the men out of track condition.

The excellent showing of the team, however, was a credit to the college and will do more than anything else to encourage track work this season.

Eleven men made the trip, and as every member of team made a place and as Ohio is one of the Conference Colleges, K's were gained by all of the team. This is an unusual record, and the outlook for a fast track team is very good. The Ohio team had been in training for about two weeks, but were no match in the

this organization puts up. It has already won a reputation here at Kenyon as the best for miles around. The decorations, as planned, will outdo anything attempted in this line by previous classes and every effort is being put forth by the committee to make this year's Hop the best in the history of Hika. All that the Sophomore class needs is the support of all Kenyon men.

There will be plenty of athletic events on Thursday, Friday and Saturday to entertain visitors, so bring that girl you were telling the fellows about and let her hear the famous "Court House in the Sky" on Friday evening, May 19th at Rosse Hall. Everybody is going to the Hop this year. So are you.

dashes, hurdles, broad and high jumps and the weight events. Thirteen firsts, nine seconds and five thirds were the victories taken by the Kenyon team. Ohio won first places only in the two mile and the pole vault. Fry, who ran the two mile for Ohio, showed wonderful form, and should make a showing for himself in the Conference meet.

For Kenyon, Marty was first in individual honors with 14 points to his credit, Axtell second with 13 points and Krieg third with 12 points.

The team was treated most hospitably by the Ohio men, and the courteous treatment offered there made the trip pleasurable. The list of events with the time was as follows:

- 1.—100 yard dash.  
Weaver (Kenyon) first.  
Marty (Kenyon) second.  
Beekley (Ohio) third.  
Time 10 4-5 seconds.
- 2.—220 yard dash.  
Weaver (Kenyon) first.  
Beekley (Ohio) second.  
Marty (Kenyon) third.  
Time 25 seconds.
- 3.—400 yard run.  
Krieg (Kenyon) first.  
Marthis (Ohio) second.  
Strait (Ohio) third.  
Time 58 seconds.
- 4.—880 yard run.  
Krieg (Kenyon) first.  
Strait (Ohio) second.  
Beatty (Kenyon) third.  
Time 2 min. 7 3-5 sec.
- 5.—1 mile.  
Aves (Kenyon) first.  
Beatty (Kenyon) second.  
Elson (Ohio) third.  
Time 5 min., 49 3-5 sec.
- 6.—2 mile.  
Fry (Ohio) first.  
Aves (Kenyon) second.  
Elson (Ohio) third.  
Time 10 min., 54 sec.
- 7.—220 yard hurdles.  
Little (Kenyon) first.  
Downe (Kenyon) second.  
Beckley (Ohio) third.  
Time 30 seconds.
- 8.—120 yard hurdles.  
Skiles (Kenyon) first.

Axtell (Kenyon) second.  
Helfrich (Ohio) third.  
Time 18 sec.

9.—Broad jump.  
Mason (Kenyon) first.  
Beatty (Kenyon) second.  
Bash (Ohio) third.  
Distance 20 ft., 5½ in.

10.—High jump.  
Axtell (Kenyon) first.  
Mason (Kenyon) second.  
Shields (Ohio) third.  
Distance 5 ft., 5½ in.

11.—16 pound shot.  
Marty (Kenyon) first.  
Mason (Kenyon) second.  
Shields (Ohio) third.  
Distance 33 ft., 9 in.

12.—Discus.  
Axtell (Kenyon) first.  
Shields (Ohio) second.  
Krieg (Kenyon) third.  
Distance 109 ft., 2 in.

13.—16 pound hammer.  
Marty (Kenyon) first.  
Shields (Ohio) second.  
Krieg (Kenyon) third.  
Distance 78 ft., 5 in.

14.—Pole vault.  
Gillilan (Ohio) first.  
Skiles (Kenyon) second.  
Downe (Kenyon) third.  
Distance 10 ft.

15.—Half mile relay.  
Little, Downe, Beatty, Mason.  
Won by Kenyon.  
Time 1 min., 47 sec.

## PLAYWRIGHTS

*Of Kenyon College Offer  
Their First Production  
At Hop Time.*

It has been many years since the student body has had an opportunity to see a play produced on the Hill which was the creation of college men. Maxwell Budd Long wrote the last original play produced upon the Hill, and since then all the various plays which have been produced have been

from out side sources. The Sophomore Hop committee has been exceedingly fortunate in securing an original farce to be produced on Thursday night, May 18th, in Rosse Hall. Messrs. Siddall, Clements, Clark and Anderson collaborated in an effort to produce a play which would help enliven the Hop week and have created a wonderfully clever farce in which the co-authors, with Messrs. K. O'Ferrall and Lewis, will produce. The plot of the play has not yet been made known, but rehearsals are going forward steadily and fine progress is being made.

That the style of play chosen was a farce, lends greatly to the interest of the production. Never before has a farce been essayed on the Hill, and this initial effort can't but arouse great enthusiasm and interest thruout the college. The various participants are all stage favorites here and that the success of the production is assured, goes without saying. Following the farce, an informal will be given, Johnny Jackson's orchestra furnishing the music. The entire evening will be, without doubt, one of the most pleasant of the entire week.

In view of the fact that two of the most important events of the Hop week will occur on Thursday, it is urged that all men contemplating having guests for the week, will urge their arrival for the Minnesota-Kenyon tennis meet and the farce—Informal Thursday night.

Minnesota has never before engaged in athletics with Kenyon and the engagement deserves the solid support of the student body; as does also the first original farce ever created and produced at Kenyon.

### The Stires Debate.

The subject chosen for the Stires Prize Debate is "Resolved, that forest conservation should be placed under federal control." On the evening of Wednesday, April 26, the first preliminary debate was held in Philo Hall. Messrs. Reinheimer and Mason represented the affirmative, Messrs. Goldsmith and Siddall the negative. Other debates will be held from time to time until the final contestants are decided upon.

The final debate will probably take place on Monday of Commencement Week, at which time the prizes will be awarded. Two prizes are offered by the Rev. Dr. Stires of New York City, and consist of \$35 and \$15 respectively. The contestants must be upper classmen of one or the other of the two literary societies.

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## MISSIONS

### The Reverend J. E. Curzon Gives a Splendid Talk on Mission Work.

A welcomed interruption to the regular order of Chapel exercises occurred on the morning of April 25th, in the chapel in the shape of an interesting talk on mission work by the Rev. J. E. Curzon. The Rev. Mr. Curzon is Department Secretary of the Fifth Missionary Council, comprising the dioceses in five states, and visited this Parish in the course of his regular duties.

During the course of his remarks extending over about fifteen minutes, the Rev. Mr. Curzon spoke of the disfavor and lack of interest often shown toward foreign missions and used some very apt illustrations to demonstrate that missionary activity is just as much a duty abroad as at home.

### The History Medal

For several years the Ohio Society of Sons of the American Revolution, whose headquarters are in Columbus, has been awarding annually a medal to the writer of the best essay on any American topic. The contest is open only to Kenyon students who are taking History VII under Doctor Peirce. As the winning of this medal is no small honor, there is bound to be some lively competition. The judges who pass on the merits of the various theses submitted are appointed by Doctor Peirce, it being his aim to secure, as far as possible, men who have no connection with the College.

The medal itself is of bronze, about two and one-half inches in diameter, and is stamped by the government. On one side is represented the Liberty Bell, on the other, a minute man.

Alva I. Hardy and H. Swayne Lybarger were the successful contestants of last year and the year before, respectively. Five men will compete this year.

### Democratic Clubs of Ohio

At the bi-ennial convention of the Ohio League of College Democratic Clubs held at the Southern Hotel in Columbus on Friday, April 21 the following officers were elected: President, Don R. McGill, Ohio State; vice-president, B. R. Stadley, Ohio Wesleyan; secretary, D. W. Bowman, Kenyon; treasurer, J. E. Dienst,

Western Reserve; press agent, W. Battenfield, Ohio Wesleyan.

Forty delegates from ten universities and colleges were present. The convention gave a hearty endorsement to the Harmon presidential boom. Former Mayor DeWitt C. Badger of Columbus was one of the speakers and Ralph Bartlett of Ohio Wesleyan acted as toastmaster.

A Chinese house club is being formed at Berkeley, among the Chinese students at the University of California. It is under the management of the Berkeley Chinese Student Association. In this way the students hope to lessen their expenses.

The Senior class at Lafayette recently decided that no underclassmen should be allowed to wear mustaches, but failed to pass a measure compelling their own members to cultivate hirsute adornments.

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### OMISSION

In the last issue of the Collegian the names of the two buildings published were omitted through some oversight. The picture on the first page was a cut of Dr. Peirce's new home and the cut opposite the editorial page was a picture of the other new faculty house.

### TRACK

Our track team opened the season in a most encouraging manner. The dual meet at Athens, O., on April 22 was won by the Kenyon team with a large margin. It is now up to us to enter into this sport more earnestly, and show the other colleges in the state that Kenyon can be represented creditably in track as well as any other branch of athletics.

Nor is the victory at Athens the only reason why we should maintain a track team. The material looks promising. We have a number of men who by practice can win a place in the Big Six meet in Columbus May 26. If it appears impossible for Kenyon to send out a team to her credit, we would not encourage the students to help boost this department. But the Collegian feels that we can make a good showing in track work.

The manager promises to have the local track in good shape in-

side of a week. The graduate manager is arranging to hold a few dual meets previous to the big meet in Columbus. For the last two years, Kenyon has barely made a showing in the Columbus meet. Why not redeem ourselves this year?

With lots of spirit on the students' part—and not spirit miles away from the field, but the spirit which brings men down to the field—with lots of work and training on the part of the team, Kenyon ought to capture some of the events in Columbus on May 26.

At the close of the chapel service, April twentieth, Dr. Peirce asked the students for their co-operation in the care of the lawns north of the chapel and also in regard to fires in the brush on the hillside. The College Park has been placed in the hands of the State Forestry department which is making an exhibit of the natural forest on the side of the hill. Recently two fires have burned off the dead leaves on the west side of the hill. These leaves, the State Forester says, are absolutely essential to the long life of the trees so that in the future it is

hoped that the students will consider the fighting of such fires, second in importance only to fires in the buildings themselves.

The most beautiful stretch of lawn in the Park is being destroyed by "short cut paths" to the chapel. In the winter these paths do no harm but now that the ground is soft and new grass is growing it is very easy to mark the lawn permanently. As only fifteen or thirty seconds are saved by going across these paths there is not any good reason for not following the gravel walks provided for this purpose.

There is less interest shown in the Stires Prize debate this year than at any other period since its establishment. This may be due to the subject, as forest conservation, perhaps, shows no especial points of interest to the present generation of Kenyon men. The upper classmen also, may be exceptionally busy this year, although this would hardly explain the complete lethargy evinced at the present time.

The prize itself is well worth working for. No one in college would scorn the thirty-five and fifteen dollars offered for the first and second places respectively. Besides the winning of the debate may be of value to a man after leaving college. All that is needed is a little studying and slightly more enthusiasm.

Any junior or senior is eligible. The preliminary debates are on and every man applying will be given a fair chance. The work is not so hard, and the average college junior will find absolutely no difficulty.

Get up some college spirit and do something for Kenyon and yourself so that at commencement week the Stires Debate will find its usual place in the program.

### SOPHOMORE CLASS

The Sophomore Class should get to work at once and select the men who are to steer next year's Reveille through the troubled seas which always beset both the editor and manager of our annual. This suggestion comes from all the men in college who have ever been connected with the publication of the book and should be seriously considered by the class of 1913.

The business manager would be materially benefited by an early election because he could inaugurate his advertising policy at once and at the same time have a chance to make inquiries into printing, engraving and the soliciting of subscriptions. It would

## 1913 Class Song.

Below are printed the words of the Sophomore Class song. The words were written by Canon Watson, of Bexley, while the music was arranged by Fred Clark from two Cornell marches.

### The Song of Thirteen.

#### I.

Say, have you seen how the class of Thirteen  
Is a tragical sight to view?  
For its ill-omened name, in the annals of fame,  
Will attest a plain case of hoodoo — — —  
Hoodoo!

It's a dreadful state, to be frowned on by fate,  
But it's all of it legally due  
To the working unseen of the number Thirteen,  
As of course is well known to you.

#### Refrain

Good signs or bad signs are all the same to us!  
Hearts without fear make hearts victorious!  
This is our watch-word, against the unforeseen,—  
We're the unconquerable class of Thirteen!

#### II.

Some will be rich, it's a destiny which  
Is enough to make anyone sad!  
And misfortune, perhaps, for a few of us chaps,  
To our miseries marriage may add — — —  
Too Bad!

Till the midnight's ridge we shall have to play bridge,  
Or it's whatever else is the fad!  
And it's three meals a day till we're all of us gray — — —  
And so how can a chap feel glad!

#### Refrain

#### III.

Some of the class will most probably pass,  
Although strange it may seem to be!  
And as likely as not 'twill be somebody's lot  
To get "one" in the place of a "three!" — — —  
Whoop-ee!  
And you may presume 'twill be somebody's doom  
To display a big Phi Beta Key!  
So it's clear to be seen, its the number Thirteen  
Which has made all of these be!

#### Refrain



## COLLEGE MEN

## As Law Makers—Congress Shows 48 Per Cent. Are College Men.

Michigan points with pride to the fact that she has a larger alumni delegation in Congress than any other university in the country. There are twenty-seven men in it, four of them Senators. Harvard has sixteen alumni in Congress; Yale and University of Virginia fifteen each; University of Iowa, ten; University of Wisconsin and Cumberland, nine each; Georgetown, eight; Columbia and the University of Georgia, seven each; Washington and Lee University, six; University of Pennsylvania, Vanderbilt University, University of Missouri and Cincinnati Law School, five each; Princeton, Amherst, Trinity, University of South Carolina, Dartmouth, University of South Carolina, Dartmouth, University of the South, University of Arkansas, Tulane University, Bowdoin, Albany Law School and University of Texas, have four each.

One hundred and eighty-three of the three hundred and seventy-seven members of Congress (48%) are college men. Less than one per cent of the young men of the country go to college and yet from this one per cent come 48% of our national legislators. Is there not ground for suspicion that the collegiate training has had something to do with determining these statistics?—Ex.

## Ohio State Carnival

Over \$3,000 was cleared on the carnival given by the student organizations of Ohio State three weeks ago. Each club, society and fraternity put on a stunt. A general admission of ten cents was charged and five cent tickets sold for each separate show. The carnival was given on two evenings.

be a good plan for next year's Reveille board to include an advertising manager and if this were done, there would be no question but that the book would be a financial success.

Another advantage to be gained by an early start would be that the editors could be busy getting their work done as it occurred. It is much easier and better to write up the Sophomore Hop events and Commencement programs at the time of their occurrence rather than six months later.

We make these suggestions so that the class of 1913 can profit by the experiences of her predecessors.

## Lay of the Listener

"Money talks," the sages say;  
But when I hear its dulcet tone  
It always seems so far away  
I have to use the telephone;  
And as I wait its voice to hear,  
And care brings furrows to my brow,  
Fate answers in a tone severe,  
"Ring off; the line is busy now."

Washington Star.

## Prominent Brotherhood Officer Visits Kenyon.

On Sunday, April the twenty-third, Mr. W. A. Haberstro, the Traveling Secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew for the Midwest paid his bi-annual visit to the college chapter. He met the men of the chapter at a special meeting held in the Sterling Room at eight p. m. and addressed them on the present status of the national organization and the prospects that brighten the future. Little unfavorable criticism was forthcoming on the standing and policies of the local chapter and the speaker's words were in the main devoted to strengthening the men in their present position and encouraging them to press on in positive endeavor for the good aims which the Brotherhood holds up before its members. Especially strong was his warning against the danger of becoming too much absorbed in extraneous interests which might tend to make the chapter lose sight of the sole purpose of the order, viz.: The Spread of Christ's Kingdom Among Men. Among such interests might be named basketball and other athletic sports, banquets, smokers and such social affairs. Mr. Haberstro's point was this: Each man has his own peculiar influence for good or otherwise and it is his duty toward himself and others to exert himself to the utmost of his ability to make this influence good.

Mr. Haberstro is a well known lawyer of Buffalo, N. Y. who has given four years of his life to this important division of the Brotherhood's work. He completes his period of service in August and will then resume his practice. The organization is greatly indebted to him and will lose a good secretary when he resigns. Altho only on the "Hill" for a few hours Mr. Haberstro met most of the men of the College and Seminary. His good fellowship attracted all who had the pleasure of meeting him and he made an impression that will last.

On the morning following his talk to the Brotherhood, the student body was given an opportunity of hearing Mr. Haberstro in Morning chapel.

## KENYON

## Drops the First Game—Team Will Improve With Practice.

## Reserve 7—Kenyon 0

Reserve opened the local season here on Friday April 20 by defeating Kenyon 7 to 0. The game went seven innings and with the exception of the "unlucky fifth" was a very good contest.

The Kenyon nine was at a disadvantage of having had but one day's practice and as a result the team's hitting was far below par.

In the first inning the first man up for Reserve received a pass, was sacrificed to second, went to third on a fielder's choice and scored on a passed ball. This was the only score of the game until the fifth inning when a combination of two bases on balls, a misjudged fly and three successive singles netted Reserve four runs and enough to win.

Kenyon garnered but three safeties off of McIntosh who pitched excellent ball. Marty allowed four hits but Reserve managed to bunch these where hits counted runs. The infield showed up in good form, the work of Downe at short being especially good.

Two double plays pulled off at opportune times pulled Kenyon out of bad holes in the third and sixth innings.

Below is found the tabulated score:

## KENYON

	A	R	H	O	A
Aves, r. ....	4	0	1	2	0
Downe, s. ....	4	0	1	4	1
Marty, p. ....	3	0	0	0	2
Axtell, 1. ....	3	0	1	9	1
Kinder, 2. ....	3	0	0	2	2
Young, 3. ....	3	0	0	1	5
McMaster, m. ....	2	0	0	0	0
Beatty, l. ....	2	0	0	0	0
Wickham, c. ....	3	0	0	3	2

Totals . . . . . 27 0 3 21 13

## RESERVE

	A	R	H	O	A
Allen, c. ....	4	2	0	2	6
F. Knight, 2. ....	3	2	0	3	0
Forshee, 1. ....	3	1	1	11	0
Kagy, r. ....	4	0	2	0	0
Stratton, m. ....	2	0	0	2	0
Finlayan, s. ....	3	0	1	0	2
Dwyer, 3. ....	1	0	0	0	5
C. Knight, l. ....	2	1	0	2	0
McIntosh, p. ....	3	1	1	1	2

Totals . . . . . 25 7 5 21 15

Errors—Marty, Kinder, McMaster 2, Allen, F. Knight, Forshee 2. Two-base hit—Kagy. Sacrifice hits—Kinder, Dwyer, Stolen

bases—Allen, Kagy, Stratton 2, C. Knight 2, McIntosh, Aves 2, Marty, McMaster. First base on balls—Off Marty 5. Hit by pitched ball—By McIntosh 2. Left on bases—Kenyon 5, Reserve 2. Double plays—Kinder to Downe; Downe to Kinder. Umpire—Durfee of Williams.

## Kenyon Defeats Oberlin

On Saturday, April 29 the Kenyon Tennis Team won its first laurels by defeating the strong Oberlin team. Captain Marty easily defeated Henderson of Oberlin in two straight sets 6-1, 6-4. It was expected that Henderson would put up a strong fight, and the fact that he was suffering from water on the knee, and also could not see well, having forgotten his glasses, may have accounted for his easy defeat. Marty himself was not in form, having only had two days' practice. He showed up well under the circumstances. Beatty had a harder time with his opponent Lothrop, who defeated him in the first set 6-2. Beatty took a brace then and won over his man in the next two sets 6-3 and 6-1.

The Kenyon team, assured of victory, loosened up in the doubles and their playing showed carelessness, while Oberlin played a most consistent game, winning the event 3-6, 6-2, 6-3. Henderson played in remarkably good form, showing up much better than he did against Marty in the singles. Marty and Beatty had never played together before, even in practice and this may have factored in their defeat.

## SUMMARY

Kenyon 2, Oberlin 1

Marty (Kenyon) b. Henderson (Oberlin) 6-1, 6-4.

Beatty (Kenyon) b. Lothrop (Oberlin) 2-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Henderson and Lothrop (Oberlin) b. Marty and Beatty (Kenyon) 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

## Inter-Class Meet

The date of the coming inter-class track and field meet has not yet been decided upon but in all probability Friday the 12th or Saturday the 13th of May will be selected for this event. The meet, from all present appearances, looks as if it would resolve into a contest between the Sophomore and Freshmen classes. In this the Sophomores would have the advantage of more experience and practice but to offset this the Freshman class is full of spirit and enthusiasm. Much of the Freshmen's hope is placed in Carey, Carr and Lewis who have made very creditable showings in their high and "prep." schools.

## THE ANNUAL

### Election Produces Close Contests—A Crowd on Hand to See Fun.

The annual May meeting of the assembly was held on Monday evening May 1st. A large attendance was present. Pres. Wood opened the meeting.

It was moved, seconded and carried that a committee be appointed to draw up a set of resolutions requesting Professor Downey to remain on the Kenyon faculty for the coming year.

It was moved and seconded and carried to lay the following amendment to Art. XI, Sec. 5, of the constitution on the table until the next regular meeting of the assembly. Resolved that the words, "4-inch old English K over two rackets" be struck out, and the following be substituted: "3-inch purple K, with an inch T before and after the K within a white diamond to be worn on a sweater or jersey jacket." The rest of the article to stand as it now does in the Constitution.

The Assembly then elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—H. H. Gaines.  
Vice President—H. K. Downe.  
Secretary—J. D. Cook.  
Treasurer—Dr. Nichols.  
Graduate Manager—Dr. Walton.

Executive Committee—Faculty member, Dr. Allen, Messrs. Wickham, Watson, Dickinson, Harkness, Axtell, Hull, Crawford.

Dormitory Committee—J. D. Cook, Clements, Thomas, McCafferty, Gaines, Beatty, Porter, Boylan.

Student Lecture Course—Weaver, Downe, Harkness, Wheaton, Skiles.

The assembly then adjourned.

#### Cane Sunday

Sunday April 23 was "Cane Sunday" on the Hill. On this day

the winners of the cane rush are allowed to conduct the Seniors to chapel. This event has been a custom for a great number of years and is one of the old traditions of which the college is so proud.

As the chapel chimes rang out their last tune before the closing of the doors, the solemn procession started from the library. Heading this procession were Mr. Beatty and Mr. Young, the marshals. Following them came the Freshmen. These carried their class canes which were adorned with crimson and white ribbons. Last came the Seniors adorned in their caps and gowns. As the chapel door was reached the two lines of Freshmen parted and crossing their canes formed an arch under which the Seniors passed.

The Seniors who took part in this occasion were Messrs. Wood, Senft, Millsbaugh, Siddal, Sanderson, Southworth, Kinder, Russell, Reinheimer, Marvin, Goldsmith.

The tennis courts have been put in first class condition and the present courts are now equal if not superior to any college courts in the state. A new back-stop has been placed around the entire court, new net-posts put up and the ground leveled. We should have no trouble in carrying off our tennis meets this spring if the condition of the playing surface is to be taken into consideration.

Manager Weaver has also had the Freshmen at work upon the track and in a couple of weeks the track-team—the one that so easily defeated Ohio University—can run to their heart's content upon the cinder path on Benson Field. The inter-class meet to be held in May should be an exciting one as every afternoon finds men from each of the classes working themselves out on the track.

In a debate before Yale Union on the question: "Resolved, That Yale is still fifty years behind Harvard," the affirmative won.

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No one can afford to miss it. Make your plans now.

### OBERLIN GETS REVENGE

#### In Baseball—Kenyon Team Fails To Hit In Pinches

On Saturday, April 29, the Kenyon baseball team went down to defeat before the Oberlin nine to the tune of six to nothing. Costly errors and weak hitting by our athletes caused the disaster, altho baseball luck played a prominent part.

The first run was scored in the fourth on a hit thru short, a sacrifice, and an error; the second run in the fifth on an error and a single, the Oberlin man scoring from first; the third run in the seventh on an error, a sacrifice, and another error. The remaining three runs came in the ninth inning and were the result of two hits, two errors, and an unfortunate but excusable piece of misjudgment by Axtell.

Kenyon had many opportunities to score, but her chances were killed by excellent work on the part of the Oberlin fielders, who robbed the team of hits at critical times on more than one occasion.

The features of the game were the catch of a short pop-fly by McMaster and the catch of a long fly from Young's bat, which looked good for two bases, by the Oberlin center-fielder, Marty

played an excellent game at catch, the Oberlin men failing to steal on him.

The score:

KENYON					
	A	R	H	O	A
Aves, m	4	0	0	0	0
Downe, s	4	0	0	2	0
Marty, c	4	0	0	12	1
Axtell, 1	4	0	0	9	0
Kinder, 2	3	0	0	1	0
Young, p	4	0	0	1	4
Wickham, r	3	0	1	1	0
McMaster, 3	3	0	0	1	2
Beatty, 1	3	0	0	0	0

Totals .. 32 0 1 27 7

OBERLIN					
	A	R	H	O	A
Young, 3	4	1	1	1	3
Nichols, s	4	1	0	3	3
Henderson, r	3	1	0	0	0
Clark, c	4	1	0	9	2
Burroughs, 1	4	1	0	9	0
Pyle, p	4	0	0	0	2
Reed, 1	4	1	0	2	0
Miller, m	4	0	0	1	0
McMillan, 2	4	0	1	2	0

Totals .. 35 6 2 27 10

Errors—Beatty 2, Young.

Oberlin .. 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 3—6  
Kenyon .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Stolen bases—Axtell, Marty, Beatty, Reed, Wickham, 2, Nichols. Sacrifice hits—Nichols, Reed 2, McMasters. Left on bases—Kenyon 6, Oberlin 2. Bases on balls—Off Pyle 4, off Young 1.

### EXCHANGES

#### Princeton Defeats Pennsylvania in Wrestling Five to One.

Senior class statistics at Yale returned a total average yearly cost of \$4,390, or an average yearly cost of \$1,097. Freshmen average, \$1,022; Sophomore, \$1,085; Junior, \$1,125, and Senior, \$1,158. There are in the class 75 Episcopalians, 50 Congregationalists, 46 Presbyterians, 14 Baptists, 13 Roman Catholics, and 10 members of the Jewish faith.

This class voted unanimously that the Freshman year was the hardest of the course, due to the newness of conditions and surroundings.

Hambaugh, Michigan's star miler and two-miler, will not enter athletics this year on account of parental objections.

Princeton defeated Pennsylvania in a wrestling bout by the

Struck out—By Young 8, by Pyle 2. Hit by pitched ball—Kinder, Reed. Double plays—McMaster to Axtell. Umpire—Dial.

score of five matches to one.

Van Housey Shah Boudakhiantz is the name of a Freshman at Rose Polytechnic Institute.

At a timely mass meeting recently, the Butler boys saved athletics from extinction. It was finally decided to maintain their intercollegiate sports throughout the spring.

The Philippine Islands contain colleges many years the senior of similar institutions in America. These colleges represent the imitating civilization of the Spanish and they produce many well-educated men and women of prominent refinement and culture.

#### Death of Dr. Stanger

Following an illness of only two weeks, Rev. Dr. I. Newton Stanger, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Atonement in Philadelphia died recently. He was seventy years old. Dr. Stanger was a prominent man in his diocese and was well known throughout the United States. He graduated from Kenyon College in 1867 and received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from there in 1884.